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Yoshitaka MISHIMA et al.

: Confirmation No. 5433

U.S. Patent Application No. 10/690,817

: Group Art Unit: 3761

Filed: October 23, 2003

: Examiner: Catharine L Anderson

For: DISPOSABLE WEARING ARTICLE

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No additional fee is required.
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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

The following amendments and remarks are submitted in response to the Official Action dated December 19, 2005.

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